## CHAPTER 77

## (Senate Bill 117)

AN ACT to add new Section 8-21A to the Montgomery County Code (1955 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Part 2. General Local Laws", sub-heading "Chapter 8. Courts", sub-paragraph "Article II. Circuit Court Generally", said new section to follow immediately after Section 8-21 thereof, authorizing each of the Judges of the Sixth Judicial Circuit resident in Montgomery County, to appoint a Secretary, and providing for his or her qualifications and compensation. AND TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT AND RELATING GENERALLY TO THE COMPENSATION OF SAID SECRETARY.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new Section 8-21A, be, and it is hereby added to the Montgomery County Code (1955 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Part 2. General Local Laws", sub-heading "Chapter 8. Courts", sub-paragraph "Article II. Circuit Court Generally", said new Section to follow immediately after Section 8-21 thereof.

8-21A. Each of the Judges of the Sixth Judicial Circuit resident in Montgomery County is hereby authorized to appoint a competent secretary who shall have had some previous experience in secretarial work, involving duties that demonstrate the ability to take rapid dictation, typing, and to exercise independent judgment. Each of said secretaries shall hold his or her position at the pleasure of the Judge by whom he or she is appointed and shall receive compensation therefore THEREFOR in the following manner:

The Judge who appoints his or her secretary shall fix said secretary's salary in the discretion of said Judge between Step A in Grade 12 and Step E in Grade 15 in the pay schedule for employees of Montgomery County in force at the time said salary is fixed. The said salary shall be fixed annually and may be changed, within said limits, from year to year by said Judge, without regard to length of service. The compensation for said salaries shall be levied annually by the County Council of Montgomery County and shall be paid as are the salaries of other County employees.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1957.

Approved February 20, 1957.

## CHAPTER 78

## (Senate Bill 128)

AN ACT to add new Section 8.-11.2 to the Montgomery County Code, (1955 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws

EXPLANATION: Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken out of bill.